

want him to vote against it to prove that anything one way or the other, I want him to vote to give me a chance to reconsider but that is the only person I even played with like that and I want to clear the air on it because somebody may have wondered about it. Now, Senator Hannibal asked about the illegal bookmaking and whether that would still occur. I think in the same way that there is the illegal sale of liquor, although it can be sold legally, there is the illegal sale of pickle cards, there are illegal lottery operations and bingo operations, there will continue to be illegal bookmaking. Whenever you have an activity that a person can make money on, even when it is made legal, there are people who are going to do it illegally because it is less inconvenient to do it that way and in some instances far more profitable. But because I think there are a lot of people who are engaged in this business, who would rather pay the license fee and they identify themselves as being in the business thereby and the federal government knows who most of them are because they pay a federal tax, but the federal government will not release those records to any state for prosecution because you cannot compel a person under the 5th Amendment to testify against him or herself where a crime is alleged and that is what would be happening, but I think there would be people who continue to engage in illegal bookmaking. But for those big operators who would rather not have to keep an attorney on retainer, who would rather not have to make certain contributions to various law enforcement officials, there will be more than enough money in license fees paid to balance off any cost to the state in administering this bill. If you only get 50 percent in taxes of what ought to be forthcoming based on this bill, you will be doing a very good thing and getting more revenue than you are now. A study was made last year and they found out that the two biggest cheaters on income tax, Senator Hannibal, were small business men, city, and farmers, rural, but they have neither outlawed business nor farming, only certain types of business when conducted by certain individuals.

SPEAKER NICHOL: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Gambling as a business is still...you said time is up, or one minute. I hope you will vote to reconsider and the Speaker and I have already talked about this. This bill, if it is dealt with again, would not be dealt with today. There will be another date set for